

Application No. Applicant(s) 09/892,690 RYU, SEUNG MOON Notice of Allowability Examiner Art Unit Cvnthia L Davis 2665 -- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address--All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this application. If not included herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course. THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS. This application is subject to withdrawal from issue at the initiative of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313 and MPEP 1308. 1. This communication is responsive to <u>3/21/2005</u>. 2. The allowed claim(s) is/are 1 and 2. 3. The drawings filed on 27 June 2001 are accepted by the Examiner. 4. Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f). a) 🛛 All b) Some* c) None of the: 1. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received. 2. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. 3. Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this national stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)). * Certified copies not received: _____. Applicant has THREE MONTHS FROM THE "MAILING DATE" of this communication to file a reply complying with the requirements noted below. Failure to timely comply will result in ABANDONMENT of this application. THIS THREE-MONTH PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE. 5. A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient. 6. CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted. (a) including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached 1) hereto or 2) to Paper No./Mail Date (b) including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No./Mail Date Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the front (not the back) of each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the header according to 37 CFR 1.121(d). 7. DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL. Attachment(s) 1. Notice of References Cited (PTO-892) 5. Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152) 2. Notice of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) 6. Interview Summary (PTO-413), Paper No./Mail Date 7. Examiner's Amendment/Comment 3. Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/08), Paper No./Mail Date 4. Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit 8. X Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance of Biological Material 9. Other ____.

DETAILED ACTION

Priority

1. Receipt is acknowledged of papers submitted under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d), which papers have been placed of record in the file.

Allowable Subject Matter

2. This application is in condition for allowance except for the presence of claims 3 and 4 directed to a non-elected without traverse invention. Accordingly, claims 3 and 4 have been cancelled.

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

- 3. The application has been amended as follows: claims 3 and 4 have been cancelled.
- 4. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: claims 1 and 2 are allowed because

a method for modulating data for a polarity alternated pulse width code division multiple access system, the method comprising: multiplying CDMA signals inputted from multiple channels by a mask pattern selected among predetermined mask patterns that have the least peak value; reducing the level number of signals by truncating multiplied CDMA signals according to a predetermined magnitude of levels; converting the level number-reduced signals to pulse width signals to generated modulated signals having a constant level; and alternately switching a starting polarity of the pulses of the modulated signals between "high" and "low"

is missing from the prior art.

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The prior art made of record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure. Padovani discloses in figures 8a-8c and column 11, lines 11-12, various mask patterns tailored for different types of communication channels. Crespo discloses in column 2, lines 41-42, truncating CDMA signals in the time window to obtain pulses. Dent discloses in column 1, lines 23-26, that alternating the polarity of signals is part of a standard CDMA system.

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- 1. Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."
- 2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Cynthia L Davis whose telephone number is (571) 272-3117. The examiner can normally be reached on 8:30 to 6, Monday to Thursday.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Huy Vu can be reached on (571) 272-3155. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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